



DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

Case No. 659/771

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- ☐ is attached hereto.
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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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Prior Foreign Application(s)

Priority Claimed

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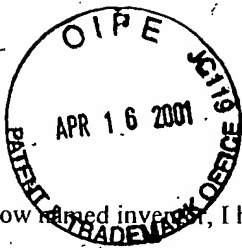
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